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January 26, 2005

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Dear Sir/Madam,

Your refund request for 09342742 in the amount of \$234.00 has been denied .

Check number 9837 was for \$750.00 not \$1024.00.. See copy enclosed.

Sincerely,

ELEANOR KURTZ  
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